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## LOCAL LEGIONNAIRES WILL DECORATE GRAVES ON MEMORIAL DAY

**One Thousand Poppies to Be Sold on That Day For Benefit of Disabled Veterans of World War—To Organize Ladies' Post in County.**

Clement R. Bon temps Camp, No. 139, American Legion, under the leadership of Commander A. Palmer Lott, continues active in every channel of endeavor within its scope.

In addition to its activity in flood relief work, assisting locally and co-ordinating its efforts with the regularly organized relief work, the Legion will now turn its attention to Memorial Day, and it is planned on that day to sell 1,000 poppies, receipts to go to disabled ex-service men and for other welfare and rehabilitation work.

On Memorial Day members of local legion post will decorate graves of all World war veterans in Hancock county, also grave of Mrs. Joseph L. Gager, in St. Mary's cemetery, Bay St. Louis, who was such great benefactor for all ex-service men, and whose memory will ever be cherished by the boys whose cause she loved so well.

Meetings to be held this month at Logtown, Lakeshore and Kiln, as a stimulant to membership and where it is the intention to establish outposts.

Appointment of Boy Scout master, who will assist Rotary club in the movement.

Mrs. Julianne, of Jackson, state president Ladies Auxiliary, has been invited to install a post here. The wives, mothers and sisters of Legionnaires are eligible for membership and are urged to attend.

## "BEST BY TEST" IS SURE WAY TO AVOID FUTURE TROUBLES

Frequently Things "Ain't What They Seem," and "Things Ain't What They Use To Be"—Flowers That Bloom in the Spring Lure.

In the spring of the year Nature seems to take on new life. May, the central month of this glorious season, comes to us all robed in flowers' romance, love and joy. This combination of influences inspires the young Romeo with all sorts of ideas. He may sing the song, "Ain't Nature Grand," or he may go out to gambol in the woods, pick flowers and listen to the whispering pines. Sages tell us that these consorts of May so intoxicate the lover that he thinks everything is roses and flowers, peaches and cream, and it is not until after the June wedding that he finds it is all prunes and applesauce. Disappointed and in a rage the young husband rushes back to the woods mumbling, "You're in the army now," driven from home he goes to the woods to "gamble" or to find a stick big enough to finish his spouse off in one blow—he may also stop to gather a few flowers for the funeral.

How can you avoid all this trouble? Here is the solution—they will be a May Day celebration at St. Henry's church on the Kiln road. This, as you know, is in the woods, about three miles out. There you can hear the pines whisper, but there, too, you will be able to test the cooking of your intended—a box supper will be one of the features. A number of girls will fix a supper for two, these will be auctioned and the winner will eat the supper with the young lady—thus testing her culinary deftness before it is too late.

Refreshments will be served and entertainment afforded in order to make the evening pleasant.

Remember the place, St. Henry's church, on Kiln rd.

The time, Sunday, May 29th.

Cause, for the church.

## Court in Beat 5.

Deputy Sheriff Ladner H. Niclase continue was on the lawless and spares no guntotors, on the contrary, he is rounding every one and bringing them to justice.

In Judge F. Fuente's court, at Kiln Saturday, there were five convictions, following affidavits sworn out by Deputy Sheriff Niclase, the following from the court docket will show:

Will Ford, carrying concealed weapon, fined \$50.00 and costs and 30 days.

Will Ford, having liquor in possession, fined \$150.00 and costs and 60 days.

Laura Acker, assault and battery, fined \$5.00 and 30 days.

E. W. Woods, carrying concealed weapon, fined \$50.00 and costs and 90 days.

Joseph Sterns, having liquor in possession, fined \$100.00 and costs.

Mr. George Cuevas has rebuilt his general merchandise store at Fenton, occupying a point on the north side of the Riverside Tearoom. This was done following the cyclonic disturbance which seriously damaged his store building formerly located on the bank of the bayou near by. The postoffice at Fenton is abolished, a rural free delivery out from Pass Christian daily removing the necessity of continuing the operation of the office.

## OFFICERS TAKE THEIR POSITIONS

**Bay Rotary Club Now Actively Headed By Dr. Jas. A. Evans, New Pres.**

## NEW APPOINTMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED

### Recently-Elected Board Directors and Officers Inducted Into Service.

On Wednesday evening the Bay St. Louis Rotary club installed its recently-elected officers, and Dr. Jas. A. Evans immediately became the executive head of the well-known local service club, succeeding Dr. C. M. Shipp, a worthy predecessor.

John Osoinach as vice-president, Louis Norman as treasurer, R. N. Blaize, sgt. at arms, and Arthur A. Sardis as secretary were also installed, who, with the new board of directors, after the luncheon held their first meeting.

Rev. Father A. J. Gmelch was appointed chaplain, Sardin F. O'Neal, song leader, Mrs. H. U. Carty, pianist.

Ex-President Shipp made a few fitting remarks and welcomed the new presiding officer, officially presenting him with the gavel. President Evans continued the meeting and fittingly brought it to a close, and will announce the committees for the new year next Wednesday evening.

### Important May Dates.

There are several important anniversary dates which fall within the month of May.

First of these comes on the first day of the month. This date marks the anniversary of the victory at Manila Bay, by Admiral Dewey during the Spanish-American war.

On the seventh of May—today—is the anniversary of the sinking of the Lusitania. This ship went down in 1915 with many important and notable persons during the great World war.

May 8th—tomorrow—is perhaps the most important of all the dates to be celebrated during the month. This date is Mother's Day.

The heroes of the Confederacy will be remembered on May 10th. This is an important date for all of the Southern states, which participated in the war of 61-65.

Then following on May 30th is the national Memorial Day, which marks the occasion of tribute to the heroes of the northern army during this same conflict.

### Unlawful to Ship Firearms By Mail; Effective May 10

May 10 is a notable day for one reason. On that day the law prohibiting the promiscuous use of the mails for the shipping of firearms will become effective. Congress enacted the law and Postmaster General New has sent a list of the regulations to all postmasters and responsible postal officials. From May 10 forward it should be difficult for gun-buyers to get their weapons from mail-order houses and to make the United States government a party to their purchases by carrying the guns in the mail.

A fine of \$1,000 and a two-year term in a federal penitentiary are the penalties for so using the mails. Gun-men still will get hold of guns, but not quite so easily as before. Bearing firearms from the mails is only one small move in their regularity, but it is one decided in the right direction.

### New Office Building For Gulfport.

Curtiss and Gorley of Raleigh, N.C., were the low bidders of a new fireproof office building to be constructed in Gulfport for the Chicago Investment company, costing approximately \$42,800. A number of local bidders participated. The contract will be let after further investigation by Chicago interests.

### To Visit Coast.

Officials, students and members of the faculty of the Woman's College at Hattiesburg will be on the Mississippi Coast May 11 on their annual outing. They will make the trip by special cars with headquarters in Gulfport.

## MEN FROM FLOOD AREA TELL STORY

### Returned Rescuers From Leland and Belzoni Tell of Occurrences.

### MEN WHO WORKED FOR HUMANITY

### Volunteers From Bay St. Louis Tell Rotary Club What They Saw.

Victor Lizana, Grady Perkins, George S. Horton and Carlos de Armas returned home Monday night from their stay in the delta flooded section, having left here about ten days previously as volunteers and working under the auspices of the Bay St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

The men worked out from Greenwood as the base of operation, and under the direction of the Chamber of Commerce of that city, running boats and rescuing marooned flood victims from roofs and trees and other high points where the rising waters centered, and principally over that territory in which the towns of Belzoni and Leland are located.

They reported Tuesday morning officially to a specially-called meeting of the Chamber of Commerce's executive committee, and quite modestly told of the various instances and occurrences they encountered.

On invitation of the Rotary club the men were invited to Wednesday evening's luncheon and there individually told the gathering of their doings, not as heroes, for they eschew that kind of stuff, but more as a report in order it might be known just what they accomplished.

Carlos de Armas was the first speaker, introduced by President Shipp. At the outset he made it known his story would be a plain, unvarnished tale. "I will speak to you gentlemen," he said, "just as I would tell it to a lot of young men as myself."

"Lucky Dog." After relating several instances where life was rescued from the most perilous position, he said on one particular afternoon his boat had passed a plantation home where, on high perch over the front porch there were several boards, on which had been placed several coops of chickens and on the same were four or five dogs. The next afternoon he passed the same place and the boards had floated to a height almost to the ceiling. All he could take on the small craft at the time was one dog, which he did, a bull terrier, and exhibited the intelligent and happy animal after the Rotary meeting. The "lucky dog" was named Midnight, after the little village in which the rescue occurred.

George S. Horton, local electrician, rendered splendid aid in his professional capacity, attending to motors and running boats and taking from houses entire families who were cooped in garrets, onto places of safety.

It was necessary, he said, in instances, to make an opening through roof tops in order to get the victims

out qualified for this stupendous task. His title is "Chairman of the Central Committee for Relief and Construction." It is not a new work for him—just new in character. A large part of Mr. Crosby's life has been devoted to relief and construction—relieving this state of the obstacles to its progress, working to create a better spirit of development within the state and a better understanding of Mississippi upon the part of those of other sections interested in industrial and agricultural opportunities.

As head of the Mississippi State Board of Development for some years, and as an active spirit in that purposeful body for several years, Mr. Crosby is given credit by men prominent in this work as having done more possibly than any other man to build up an engine of development, along broad and staple lines, that has enabled Mississippi to assume leadership in Southern advancement and high rank among the progressive states of the nation.

Mr. Crosby's many and varied activities in the interest of the welfare of this state and its people have made his name a veritable household word with unselfish service, with extraordinary devotion to the cause of development, with abiding love for a state and a people. Possibly no man is in position to enumerate the many movements Mr. Crosby either had launched or has participated in with wholehearted zeal for the good of this state, so quietly and modestly and sincerely has he worked.

It gives an insight into the character of the man to remark here that his arrival in Jackson to take charge of these new duties followed a grueling night drive by automobile that consumed the greater part of the night. He waded no time in rest, but immediately plunged into the work of organizing a machine successor, in the most efficient manner possible, the stricken people of his beloved state.

"We tender you our sincere thanks, and beg you to believe that, if any time you are in need of us we will gladly respond to the call."

Services Better Than Money. How well the Bay St. Louis Chamber of Commerce served the victims of the flood, is best told in the letter appended. Our men were more needed than money. In fact, money is reimbursed and thanks and appreciation extended to the volunteers who went hither to help. This letter is from F. Herr, secretary Chamber of Commerce, Greenwood.

"Mr. C. B. Fisher, Chairman, Bay St. Louis, Miss." "My Dear Sir—I am writing to tender you, on behalf of the citizens of the Delta, our sincere thanks for the aid rendered them by the citizens of your community.

"It is impossible to describe adequately the services rendered by the Coast people. They had good boats and were good boatmen and they rendered a service that was badly needed, and could not have been rendered by anybody else.

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"Mr. C. B. Fisher, Chairman, Bay St. Louis, Miss."

"Dear Sir—While here Messrs. Grady Perkins, Victor Lizana, George Horton and Carlos de Armas stopped at the Hotel Irving and paid a bill, copy of which is attached. I am enclosing a check for the amount, \$17.05, with a request that you reimburse them. We are trying to see that none of our Gulf Coast friends whose miraculous response to our needs saved many lives, were charged for anything while here. Some instances of this nature have occurred, particularly in the overflooded district, but when ever we find a case of that kind we immediately endeavor to refund.

"Language is simply inadequate to express our appreciation of your wonderful energy, skill and liberality in our behalf. Hoping that some day, in some way, that we may be able to show our appreciation, we are—

This work in the hands of so competent a director, is sure to go forward now in a manner that will relieve the nerve strain that Mississippians have gone under for several days, whether in the inundated districts or not, for the enormity of this unfortunate condition has gone out to the hearts and the sympathies of these people as nothing ever before did.

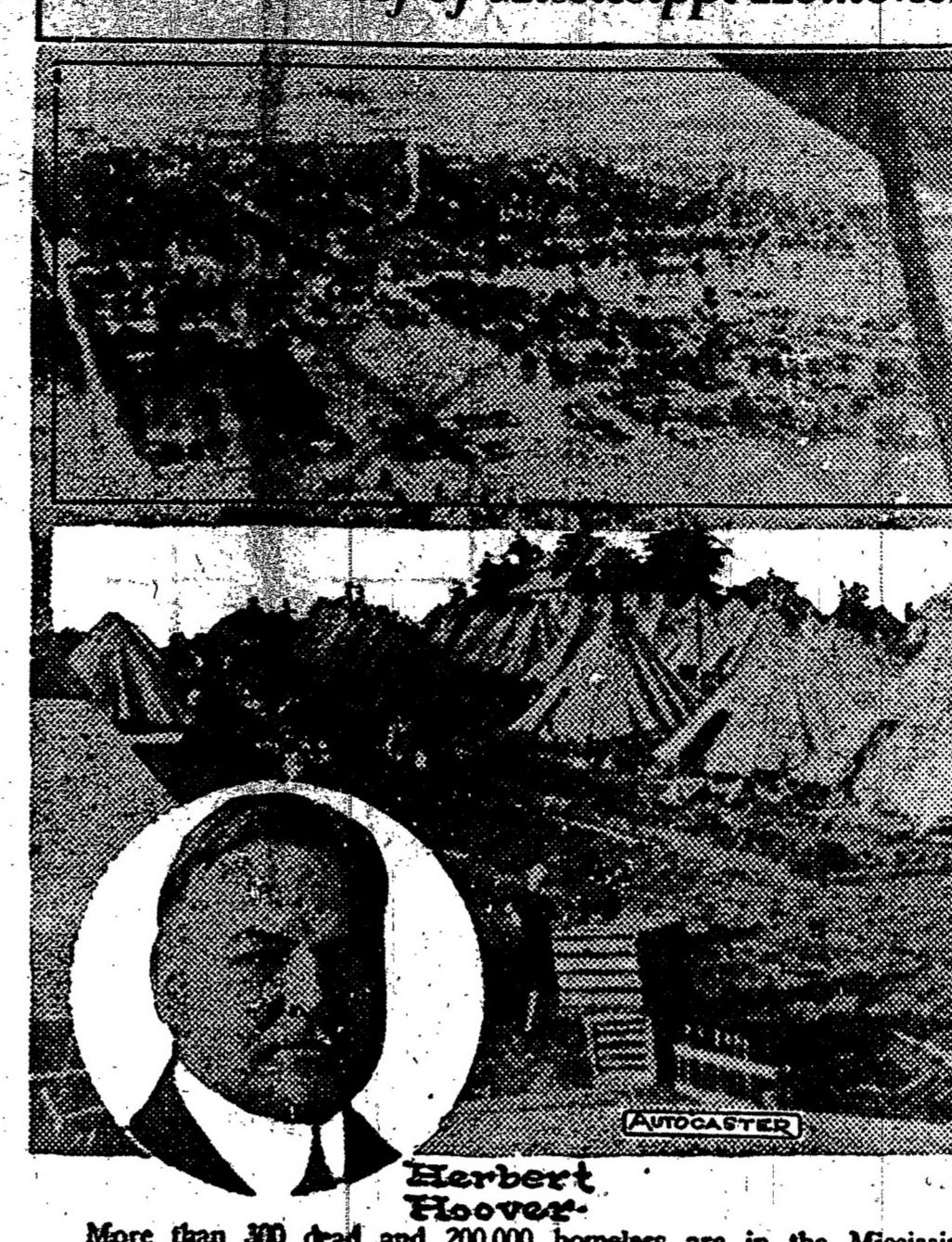
Mr. Crosby's entire life has been a romance of achievement—or rather a series of achievements. Rising from the obscurity of a humble Mississippi farm at the age of 35 to engage in a line of industry that has made him one of the wealthiest men of the South, his success has been rapid and steady. But far greater than his personal attainments in the form of great wealth and possessions is the remarkable course of unselfish service he has performed for the state as a whole and the people as a whole, irrespective of class, creed or political affiliations.

In addition to being head of the development board, he is president of the state exchange clubs and holds more offices and honorary titles in various organizations in Southern development than possibly any other man in the South.

He was one of the leading spirits in the program that Governor Whitfield carried out in the cotton crisis. He long has been an earnest worker for the good of Mississippi. Mr. Crosby is for it always—whatever it may be.

In the words of L. J. Folse, "If it's for the good of Mississippi, Mr. Crosby is for it at present." Pass Christian is a construction engineer and is located at present at Pass Christian. They will make their home in Pass Christian for the present.

## Nation to Relief of Mississippi Homeless



More than 300 dead and 200,000 homeless are in the Mississippi, Missouri and Ohio valleys as waters recede on the most destructive river flood the nation has ever known. Secretary of Interior Herbert Hoover has been assigned by the President to personally direct all relief work as the nation contributes funds. Upper photo is an airplane view of Greenville, Miss., under 20 feet of water. Lower photo a typical tent city there.

## L. O. CROSBY HEAD OF FLOOD RELIEF WORK IN STATE

Resident Over Hancock County Line and Developer of State Resources Given Important Executive Work —Man of Activity.

Appointment of L. O. Crosby to direct flood relief work in Mississippi means putting this distressing situation in the hands of a man tried and true.

Undoubtedly no other man is better qualified for this stupendous task. His title is "Chairman of the Central Committee for Relief and Construction." It is not a new work for him—just new in character.

"It is gratifying to note that the increase has been steady throughout the three-year period and that advancement is shown for all of the individual communities of the Coast. During the year just closed—April, 1926, to April, 1927—the Coast has registered an increase of 24.7 per cent.

"Economic experts and business analysts consider changes in volume of essential public utilities service as a tangible barometer of progress. Data of this character, based as it is on actual work-a-day affairs of a thriving community life, is more accurate and authoritative than estimates calculated from haphazard opinion," continued Mr. Jackson.

Further results of this study will be announced by the Coast club as the survey of other activities progresses.

The complete tabulation showing the number of telephones in use in the entire Mississippi Coast area and in each of the seven local exchanges during the three-year period included in the survey follows:

Mississippi Gulf Coast—April, 1924, 4, 382; April, 1925, 4, 765; April, 1926, 5, 675; April, 1927, 7,077.

Bay St. Louis—April, 1924, 439; April, 1925, 528; April, 1926, 562; April, 1927, 603.

Pascagoula—April, 1924, 275; April, 1925, 279; April, 1926, 348; April, 1927, 590.

Gulfport—April, 1924, 1,640; April, 1925, 1,730; April, 1926, 2,169; April, 1927, 2,522.

Biloxi—April, 1924, 1,272; April, 1925, 1,496; April, 1926, 1,816; April, 1927, 2,497.

Ocean Springs—April, 1924, 164; April, 1925, 166; April, 1926, 199; April, 1927, 214.

Pascagoula—April, 1924, 381; April, 1925, 367; April, 1926, 397

**Lust—Gold and Flesh—The Motive**

This pair Henry Judd Gray and Mrs. Ruth Brown Snyder, charged with the brutal murder—by beating, chloroform and strangling of Albert Snyder, partially deaf husband of the woman, as he slept in a drunken stupor, now face a jury in New York in a case which holds the attention of the nation. The motive, it is charged, was lust for gold—Snyder's insurance—and undisturbed love. Both have children.

**COLLEGE ECHOES***(Doubled Crossed.)*

Bro. Conrad proved the undoing of him self last Sunday when his former charges from the Industrial School of Mobile came over and visited his present residence aspirants by a party of 15. Bro. Conrad confided the boys of the Industrial School in 1925 and judging by the game they played Sunday they have a pretty good memory.

"Hail, Hail, the Gang's All Here"

The Birmingham Southern boys who were here with us for a few days last bashed some more here again last Wednesday and Thursday evening. They are still around the town of the outfit, amusing the kids around here with their antics. At the green he made Nick Atrock look like a baby.

Snick "Hahh" Lott was also among those present. He stepped out with a local girl last Wednesday night, so if you want any dope on him go to her.

*Speech Demons.*

Bro. Conrad and Bro. Regis have been given the task of making cement bricks for the new bridge which will be erected around the bottom of the hill. They are working at the art and it seems to me that if they work a good job of it. It is estimated that \$8000 blocks will be needed to finish the bridge. We are to be ready in about four or five of the blocks in less than two weeks time. Don't get discouraged, the first hundred years are always the hardest.

**Watch Out Flappers—Kiss and Die.**

City of Love, May 7—Members of the medical profession here have issued a warning to all young people to make beats in every human heart and it's to the individual to spend them as he chooses. The average heart, they say, beats about 1,200 times in a lifetime. Experiment such as kissing increases the rate from normal 72 to about 90. Thus a single kiss would shorten life nearly three minutes. The doctors also warn girls to be careful with the girls present idea about such things. Don't worry girls, we aren't telling any secret.

*Rivalry For Sousa.*

A wonderful example of what a competent teacher can do with a score of small boys was presented at the college Sunday afternoon. Frederick Cyrus' orchestra gave a concert on the front lawn of the boys, ranging in age from 9 to 15, rendered a program that was both interesting and educational. The boys were all expecting to hear a concert rendered in a highly professional way by rank amateurs received the jolt of their lives. These kids performed in a way that would put any professional veterans among the pieces played were selections from the operas, Faust and Aida. Some one in the audience expressed what most of us were thinking when he asked, "But it must have taken a lot of hard patient instruction to teach these boys all they know about music." We fellows, however, enjoyed having them over our only sorrow being that their visit could not have been extended.

*Sidelights on the Jubilee.*

Sunday morning, with the announcement that he was going hunting, Brother Regis relieved Brent Cyrus of his post as college band director and began to prepare such a feast as must have graced the tables in Alexander's time. Brother Regis is mighty stirring insofar as the good brother is concerned. He has not even known what to thank him for if we didn't keep a close watch on him. To this he has agreed to think Mr. Frank Quintin for the help he gave. Brother Regis in the kitchen. By the way, not telling off on Mr. Quintin or anything like that, he has not deserted his family on that day. Mrs. Quintin told him for him at about 1 o'clock and said to tell him that a widow was waiting for him at home.

Partly on account of that feast, and more on account of the boy's ambitious appetites, the infirmary did a thriving business during the Jubilee week. On Saturday, "Boys is boys"—or should that run, "Pigs is pigs?"

Brent Cyrus was supremely happy on the day, his day, but it was not that that he didn't know exactly what to do and that he'd much rather be back on his job.

*Baseball Jinx.*

These buffers received at the hands of Mr. Foytik are receiving extremely hard to bear of late. It seems that the boy has made it his mission to watch the athletic sons of Stanislaus to guard against winning a contest. So far, at least for the last few games, he has been successful. With all necessary apologies for apparent bad sportsmanship, he has beaten us in these games. Captain Riedel, who is incidentally very superstitious, says he always looks before he treks because he is afraid of getting hit in the side-walk. However, he's been with us so long that we wouldn't shoot him if he did lame himself.

*Dark Mystery.*

Wednesday night Brother Edmund, vice-president and beloved teacher of XII commandment, taught an old doubtful class. His pupils all knew him well and him a good send-off—bricks in his valise and all that—but even he, more solid than most, was not prepared for what was going on. Rumor was whispered that something like Brother Regis' recent adventure in life was to occur. He ventured into the flood district to one of the worst houses in town. On Thursday evening put an end to the speculation as to his whereabouts and overcame his sorrowing class, who thought the world had come to an end. He is, however, persons with ideas to his whole about Wednesday night and Thursday while he class if they will furnish these class.

*Invitation.*

Stanislaus wishes to invite you and your friends to attend the Mother's Day program to be held in the college gym at 8 o'clock on Saturday evening. The college mother love is the greatest love in the world and decided to make this an annual affair. The program will be as follows:

Opening—"The Story of the Orchestra—Over the Waves," Wanda—Orchestra, "Dancing Dolls," Girls—Orchestra, Dancers—recitation—Alfred Ware, Novelty Trio—Vaccaro, Robinson and Stan Reyer, Overture—"Brilliant Stars," Special or "Mother Machine," Vocal Solo—Sam Ballard, "Innovators," Selections—Special or "When My Dad Was a Lad," Recitation—Marshall Burton, "The Mother of Mine," Vocal Solo—Sam Ballard.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT.**

Adopted by Cedar Grove Camp, No. 507, Woodmen of the World.

Whereas, it has been the sorrowful misfortune of this Camp to have removed from our midst our late worthy and esteemed fellow Sovereign, Andrew J. Becker, and,

Whereas the intimate relations held by the deceased with the members of this Camp render it fitting and proper that we should place upon record our appreciation of his services as a Woodmen and his merits as a man; therefore,

Resolved, that we deplore the loss of Sovereign Becker with feelings of sincere regret, softened only by the confident hope that his spirit is with those who, having fought the good fight here, are enjoying perfect happiness in a better land.

Resolved, that we tender to his bereaved family and relatives our sincere condolence and earnest sympathy in this great affliction at the loss of one who was a good citizen, a devoted member of our order, and an upright man.

Resolved, that a copy of the foregoing resolution, signed by the consul commander, and certified by the clerk of this Camp, be transmitted to the family of the deceased.

Respectfully submitted,  
A. R. HART  
L. B. CADDEPONI,  
F. X. QUINTINI,  
Committee.

**FARMERS IN DELTA TO GET \$1,000,000.00 FOR RESTORATION**

Red Cross Appropriates Rehabilitation Fund of \$500,000—Bankers, Business Interests to Raise Similar Amount Immediately.

An appropriation of \$500,000 for crop rehabilitation work in the flooded area of Mississippi was made yesterday at Vicksburg, Miss., by the Red Cross at a conference of Red Cross and state officials attended by Secretary Hoover.

Announcement also was made that an additional capital of \$500,000 would be raised at once among the banking and other business interests of the state. Four thousand two hundred square miles of the rich cotton and other crop lands have been flooded in Mississippi.

This official announcement in behalf of Mr. Hoover was issued after the conference:

"The following action was determined upon:

"The state commission undertook at once to begin a survey jointly with the Red Cross agents of the seed, animal feed and other emergency requirements with which to secure the replanting of the crops over 4,200 square miles flooded in the state of Mississippi. The Red Cross will support the carrying out of this work so far as the resources permit. Based upon preliminary estimates the Red Cross appropriated \$500,000.

"The state commission undertook to call a meeting for the purpose of securing local assistance and presenting a plan for financing producers' credits and other assistance through the banks of the flooded area. A capital of \$500,000 is to be raised at once. Representatives of the banking committee will proceed to Washington, where these financial plans will be co-ordinated with the federal financial agencies and other banking support."

One Paris magistrate reported having performed 226 marriage ceremonies in a single day.

Frederick Bowes, of Cowes, Eng., was charged with automobile speeding at the rate of 72 miles an hour, although he has one wooden leg.

Now is the time to trade your car for a Buick. Talk to your Buick dealer. Let him help you and advise you how to get a fair price for your car quickly, and at the same time to have the pleasure of owning a beautiful new Buick.

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**CURRENT SPECIALISTS****CURRENT SPECIALISTS****Interesting News Echoes.**

Two archbishops and twenty-four bishops are members of the British House of Lords.

Ruling chiefs and princes in India employ loud speaking shoes as a means of impressing their barefoot inferiors.

Australians are trying to exterminate several English sparrows which escaped into that country from a steamer.

Fung Saw, a Chinaman born in Hongkong, has been nominated for the British parliament by London communists.

When James Rawson, of St. Paul, died, supposedly a pauper, \$11,000 was found in an old sock in his squallor home.

Slow motion pictures are now employed to study the finger movements of famous pianists.

A new bullet and knife proof vest, made in Germany, weighs less than three pounds.

Some of the ladies pictured on the society pages of newspapers may be beautiful, as stated in the text, but appearances are against them.

Mrs. J. H. McIlhenny, of Kingman, Kan., has a Bible printed in 1599, which has been in possession of her family ever since.

Mrs. Mateel Howe Farnum, daughter of E. H. Howe, famous Kansas editor, has been awarded the first prize of \$10,000, offered by New York publishers, for her new novel, "Rebellion."

**A. & G. THEATER**  
Attractions to Be Shown Next Week.

Sunday and Monday, May 8-9. Raymond Hatton and Wallace Beery in "WE'RE IN THE NAVY NOW."

Tuesday, May 10. Conrad Nagel and Edith Roberts in "THERE YOU ARE."

Wednesday, May 11th. Priscilla Dean in "WEST OF BROADWAY."

Thursday, May 12th. Lewis Stone in "MIDNIGHT LOVERS."

Friday, May 13th. Anna Q. Nilsson in "THE MASKED WOMAN."

Saturday, May 14th. Buck Jones in "THE GENTLE CYCLONE."

**A DROP OF PREVENTION MAY SAVE A LIMB**

Mul-en-ol used on cuts burns, bruises, etc., in time will prevent infection. Antiseptic.

All the Family Wearing Brownbilt Shoes.

There are many families in this community who buy the famous BROWNBLIT Shoes for every member of the family for all kinds of wear. The best of dress styles for men, women and children can be found in this line.

Farmers who have not applied any fertilizer under their crop or who have used a fertilizer which is low in nitrogen will secure large returns from side dressing with nitrate of soda. Side applications of nitrate of soda for cotton should be made at the first or second cultivation at the rate of 150 to 200 pounds per acre. The same amount may be applied on corn when the crop is about knee high.

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.**

All Announcements Herewith Are Subject to the Action of the Democratic Primary In August, 1927.

**FOR LEGISLATURE.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce BRYAN RUSSELL

**FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce HON. WILLIAM MYERS COLMER LUTHER M. MAPLES

**FOR SHERIFF AND TAX-COLLECTOR.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce T. ED. KELLAR JOSEPH C. JONES CLAUD MONTI

**FOR CIRCUIT AND CHANCERY CLERK.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce A. G. (RED) FAIRE

**FOR COUNTY SUPT. OF EDUCATION.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce DANIEL J. EVERETT ILIAS JOPES

**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 3.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce A. J. BILBO

**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT NO. 2.**  
J. B. WHEAT subject to the action of the Democratic party.

**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 5.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce JOSEPH O. MAHOPRAY VINCENT P. MORAN DAN FAYARD

**FOR JUSTICE OF PEACE—BEAT 5.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce AUGUST SCHIRO JOHN A. BREATH

**FOR SALE.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce JAMES C. CANNON

**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 6.**  
The Sea Coast Echo is authorized to announce A. J. BILBO

**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 7.**  
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**FOR SUPERVISOR—BEAT 8.**  
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## Day By Day in Mississippi

By Helen Goodwin Yerger  
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The subject of factionalism in the present gubernatorial campaign is arousing so much editorial comment and public discussion as to entitle it to rank as news. The arguments advanced, pro and con, are interesting, and even a shade amusing to the "looker-on in Vienna" (or maybe it should be the "listener-in"), since each of the four sides of the rectangular combat is assuming that factionalism is the thing that his side isn't and the other side is; that it is an indication of political unregeneracy when the other fellow comes down with it, but is a shining emblem of loyalty when it breaks out among the elect.

Writing editorially on this subject, one of the leading weeklies of the state that is espousing the candidacy of the man of its choice with the utmost frankness, says: "All this hullabaloo about factionalism is pure bumbo. Factionalism is in Mississippi. Factionalism will be found in every state of the Union. It is evident in the nation in the fact that there are two major parties. It is evident even in the councils of each party. Factionalism is displayed in municipal affairs, in church gatherings, in lodge meetings and in fact, wherever and whenever men and women gather. We might as well accept the fact that factionalism is in Mississippi and will be in the state as long as there is a government here."

After much reading in Mississippi papers, and much listening to political discussions, your respondent has come to the conclusion that much of the talk of "factionalism" is largely the result of a misunderstanding of terms, and that what the candidates are uniting in inveighing against is "demagogry"—the Government of those who, according to Webster's International Dictionary, "play an insincere role in public life for the sake of gaining political influence or office—one who panders to popular prejudice or seeks to inflame reasonable passions in advancement of his personal interests."

One may respect an honest partisan or factionary, but Mississippians will unite in bidding the demagogue "be ware the primary."

**Senate Journal in Hands of Printer.**

To candidates who have desired access to the Senate Journal to secure records of their opponents who served in that branch of the legislature in the last session there is welcome news in the announcement made this week by Senate Secretary R. L. Brown that the manuscript including the index, for which the work has been delayed, has been given to the printer and will be off the press in a few weeks.

The volume will contain 2,380 pages exclusive of the several hundred included in the index, which was made by Mr. Brown, who has been greatly handicapped in the work by the fact that he has, since the appointment of the Insane Hospital Removal Commission and the State Building Commission shortly after the adjournment of the legislature, served as secretary of both bodies.

However, the printer having the contract has given assurance that he has a force sufficient to put the work through in record time, and Mr. Brown has stated that he will gladly give any information regarding actions of the Senate and passage of bills during the time intervening between now and the date the Journal is ready for delivery.

Both Senate and House Journals are distributed through the office of the Secretary of State, which has been sending out copies of the House Journal since before Christmas.

**Mississippi Press Association Convention Postponed.**

Announcement was made this week by R. L. Brown, secretary of the Mississippi Press Association that the convention scheduled to be held in Clarksdale June 8, 9 and 10 has been postponed to August 10, 11 and 12, these latter dates being in a measure tentative, and subject to change by the executive committee. The postponement was made on account of conditions in the flood area of the Delta, though Clarksdale is, itself, without the danger zone, and because of the fact that editors, being important factors in community affairs could poorly spare even three days from their home towns during the rehabilitation period.

Preparations for the June meeting had progressed so far that Hon. James H. Skewes, president of the association, was negotiating, while on a visit to New York, with Bruce Barton for a visit to the Mississippi convention, and it was expected that Dorothy Dix, nationally known woman writer, would share with him the distinction of being honor guest.

**Flood Situation and Relief Work Paramount.**

All roads lead to relief centers of activity and all lines of thought concentrate in efforts for solution of present problems connected with the flood situation and with steps to prevent a recurrence.

If President Coolidge accepts the invitation of the states affected to visit the devastated area, there is reason to believe he will find there is little room to doubt that as a result of his visit, of the sympathetic attitude of Secretaries Hoover, the magnitude of the losses, the nation-wide response in sympathy and money, and the concentration of national thought on the subject there will be a crystallization of sentiment for national control of the great menace to the prosperity of an important section and to the lives of so many citizens.

Appointment by Governor Murphree of L. O. Crosby as dictator of flood relief with the suggestion that his committee include in its personnel Adj. Gen. Curtis Green, of the State Military Department; R. S. Wilson, director of Extension of A. & M. College; Dr. Felix Underwood, State Health Officer; J. S. Love, State Superintendent of Banks and representatives from the State Department of Agriculture and Commerce, the State Department of Education, the Red Cross, the American Legion, and a United States Army officer is the week's most important step in the handling of the present

condition and in making certain prompt and effective rehabilitation measures.

Mr. Crosby is a prominent lumberman from the southern part of the state, has made a success of his own affairs and has been connected for some years with movements looking to the state's industrial advancement.

**M. E. A. Completed Three-Day Convention.**

Having carried out programs of parent and subsidiary organizations that filled 18 pages of an 8x12-inch booklet, exclusive of impromptu entertainments, the emergency committee meetings and last-minute conferences, the Mississippi Educational Association today adjourned its 42nd annual, the elementary school accrediting commission set up by Miss Kate B. Brown, 1926-27 president, having been made a standing committee of the association; and two legislative measures—the increase of per capita support and strengthening of the compulsory school law, without both of which the standardization of elementary schools cannot be effected—having been named specifically as those to receive the backing of the association before the next legislature. A teachers' retirement fund bill was also named in this connection.

The County Superintendent Department in session decided not to form a separate organization this year, but remain subsidiary to the M. E. A. until 1928 when the committee on constitution and bylaws appointed at this meeting will make its report. Recommendation made to the parent organization that three county superintendents be named on the elementary school accrediting commission instead of one as was adopted at the business session.

of the Association Saturday morning.

The report of the resolutions committee adopted just before adjournment recommended as follows:

Legislative action increasing, the school term to a minimum of eight months by means of increased per capita support; creation of sentiment among teachers and the public generally for longer terms of service in longer, endorsement of a feasible teacher retirement fund law; strengthening of the teachers' certification laws; adoption of amendment to the state constitution raising the school age to six years; change of time of meeting of the association to fall instead of spring; and condemning the practice of giving athletic coaches salaries out of proportion to those of other teachers, as well as that of paying exorbitant fees to referees in interscholastic games. The committee extended the sympathy of the association to the teachers and children especially and to citizens of the flood district, and the thanks of the organization to the various Jackson agencies connected with the entertainment of the body.

**Supreme Court in Vacation Until Third Monday of May.**

There was no sitting of the Supreme Court on Monday, nor will any cases be heard during this week. All cases had been set forward on the docket for one week, or until Monday, May 9, to allow a vacation for the meeting of the Mississippi Bar association scheduled for the present week. After the bar association postponed this convention on account of flood conditions, it was too late to recall the sittings. The court will meet on the third Monday in May for the last time during this term, and will adjourn about the middle of the month for the summer vacation.

The coming week will be a quiet one. The Supreme Court will open at 9:30 after the May 9th.

**Holy Angels Sodality to Entertain.**

For many weeks past the children of the Holy Angels Sodality have been preparing for the entertainment which will be given by them on the convent grounds May 9th. An interesting and lively program is to be the chief feature of the evening.

The proceeds of the affair are to go towards the payment of the Holy Angels Sodality which was given to the church by the Society of Jesus in 1850.

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Isabelle, smallest Abbie Bourgeois

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Don't forget the date—Monday, May 9.

## He Knows From Whence Help Must Come

By Albert T. Reid

"AND—OH—PLEASE BRING THE FARMERS BOUNTIFUL CROPS, SO THEY MAY FORGET WHAT I PROMISED TO DO FOR THEM, AND WHAT I HAVEN'T DONE."



## AT S. J. A. WORK AND PLAY

### Better Home Contest

The competition and poster contest which formed a part of the Better Home campaign was enthusiastically entered in by the girls of S. J. A. from the Fourth grade through the High School. Several attractive posters and unusually member of compositions were submitted to the Chamber of Commerce last Wednesday. The judges, posted on the front of the grounds, were asked to judge the merit of the entries and earnestly hope that at least one of their earnest efforts will be crowned with success.

Join the crowd at the convention on Monday, May 9th.

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### INVESTMENT

### DEPARTMENT



## RECORD REALTY DEEDS COUNTY OF HANCOCK

Emile Guilton to Eliza McCann, part of Lot 347, First ward, City. Consideration, \$4,000. Dated April 22, 1927. Filed April 26, 1927.

C. B. Jones and Mathilda B. Jones to H. S. Drake, Lot 378, First ward, City. Consideration, \$150.00. Dated April 6, 1927. Filed April 8, 1927.

Heirs of Elmore Niclase to Salvadore Nicanor, lot 4, Section 12, Township 7, S. 14 W. Consideration, \$10.00. Dated April 12, 1927. Filed April 14, 1927.

Heirs of Nathalie Niclase to Dudley Niclase, a 1/2 of nw 1/4 of sw 1/4 of Section 17, Township 7, S. 14 W. Consideration, \$1.00. Dated April 12, 1927. Filed April 14, 1927.

Emile and Catherine Keenan to Bertrand Keenan, a 1/4 of nw 1/4 and 1/4 of se 1/4 of ss 1/4 of Section 17, Township 7, S. 14 W. Consideration, \$1.00. Dated Oct. 10, 1926. Filed May 3, 1927.

Tax Collector to H. Weston Lumber Co., Lots 1-10, Square 12, Pearlington, Consideration, \$1.00. Dated April 9, 1925. Filed May 2, 1927.

Tax Collector to Jno. Dooling and Leah, Lots 8-31, Square 156, East Ansley, Consideration, \$2.00. Dated April 9, 1925. Filed May 2, 1927.

Tax Collector to H. Weston Lumber Co., Lots 1-10, Square 5, Pearlington, Consideration, \$1.00. Dated April 9, 1925. Filed April 30, 1927.

Robert Garcia et ux. to George W. Lopez, lot 2, Block 17, Clinton, Consideration, \$2,500. Dated April 30, 1927. Filed April 30, 1927.

Jesse A. Coward to Leo W. Seal, part of lot 5, Coward Third Division, City. Consideration, \$1.00. Dated May 2, 1927. Filed May 5, 1927.

## FEED

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A LITTLE extra corn brings Mr. Shoat a running. He'll even lay off scratching when he hears the rattle of the ears and you know it pays because this extra feed turns into more pig.

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Soso, Miss.

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B. L. Moss

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They find that side-dressing cotton, 150 to 200 pounds of Nitrate of Soda at chopping time, actually feeds the cotton plant like corn feeds a hog.

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Just cut out this advertisement and write your name and address in the margin. Then mail it to us. We will send you, without one penny of cost, our little book "Side-Dressing Cotton and Corn." Our manager is a practical cotton grower and knows just what conditions call for here in the Magnolia State.

M. J. Fulgham, Winner 3rd Prize, 3 Acre Cotton Contest.

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Nitrate of Soda is the most efficient source of nitrogen that I have ever used, and in this connection will state that I save considerable money and secure more profitable yields from my crops by mixing my fertilizers at home.

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## Taxes Are Reflected In Telephone Costs

ALTHOUGH taxes form a large part of producing telephone service, this company does not object to paying its just proportion of the taxes necessary for the support of the government, the schools and other public institutions.

We do believe that telephone subscribers who supply the money will be interested in knowing what part of the money they pay for telephone service goes for taxes in the States of Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Mississippi, North Carolina, South Carolina and Tennessee.

Our total tax bill in these States amounted to \$4,482,018 during 1926, an increase of 365 per cent since 1916, while the taxable property of the company increased only 142 per cent during this same period.

The combined tax and wage bill for last year reached a total of \$28,866,300.

Although the enormous increase in these two items has been reflected in the cost of producing service, the rates charged for the service have not increased in anything like the same proportion.

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Ideas about good times differ.

Customary salutations: "Isn't it hot."

Mussolini has achieved unity of a sort in Italy.

Any good dinner will make some men feel better.

Don't forget to make your contribution to the Mississippi relief fund.

We have not yet run across any small boy who dislikes cake and pie.

What has become of the citizen who goes to visit the moon by means of a big rocket?

This is the time of the year that you feel like it is a useless expenditure to buy a coat.

Farmers, reading about the prices paid for food-stuffs in the city, wonder how it comes about.

The trouble in China is fairly apparent to the mother of the sailor who was wounded last week.

If you have any idea that times moves slowly you might recall the one-fourth of 1927 is on the wing.

The United States is so large that the children of one state know little or nothing about the other states.

It won't be long now before the public will be wondering whether the weather was ever as hot before.

One of the mysteries in the life of the average sweet young thing is how the boys fail to fall for her.

Any damage suit lawyer will tell you that the verdict of a jury is not to be forecast with any satisfaction.

The need for careful driving of automobiles is apparent when one reads about the accidents on the highways.

Advertisers who know what they sell get The Sea Coast Echo to tell the public about it. This combination usually wins.

Well, as a sign of progress, the flood along the Mississippi has not yet been blamed on the League of Nations or Great Britain.

A big Japanese bank, having failed, calls on the government for help; it is safe to assume that it never called on the government to share in its former prosperity.

We hope that the local citizens who started out this spring to beautify their yards will keep at it this summer. It is the everlasting persistence that will tell the story in improved appearances.

Next week, at this time, if everything continues its even tenor we hope you will be sitting, or standing, as the case may be, "and reading this column. Trust us, we hope it will be more interesting.

Paying your subscription to The Sea Coast Echo is one way to keep it coming to your mailbox. The other way will be disclosed to those interested enough to send \$2.00 to the editor.

Control of Mississippi floods can be accomplished NOW, whenever the Government decides to spend a little of its money. The value of water impounded, diverted and used would exceed the cost of the undertaking.

**BAY ST. LOUIS BRIDGE.**

An official telegram was sent to Senator Pat Harrison at Washington Tuesday in the interest of the local bi-county bridge, since failure of government (highway) department specification regarding top and bottom end of piling, continues to be withheld from the contractor.

It is noted work on the Bay St. Louis side is active and every endeavor is exerted to build that part where piling are driven, as complete as to finishing detail possible.

On the Harrison county side work is in progress on driving piling as far as the shallow water will concern, but further than this no long piles will be driven until the government department will have given its official say-so on widths.

This is about the situation for the present, a condition the public is totally unaware, but we take it, in the last analysis as no valid excuse of holding up the work. If the government is holding up the local highway division with proceeding, then that source should be severely criticised.

We hope Senator Harrison will wake up those fellows at Washington, who, evidently, have fallen asleep on the job, or, who apparently do not care a continental whether the Bay St. Louis bridge is ever built.

**MORE AND BETTER HOUSES.**

There is a constant demand for more and better houses in Bay St. Louis and vicinity for the season visitor or the resident who is here for an indefinite period, and the hope is expressed that this demand will be met.

Almost any number of houses, attractively built, modernly appointed, would not go begging for tenant. It has been noted time and again houses over the city that only too frequently carry the sign "For Rent" are antiquated and in instances not fit for decent-loving people to occupy. There are too many old houses, patched, added to in the most incongruous manner, void of paint, interior walls dirty and depressing, with practically improvised sanitary arrangement, that are on the market. It is no wonder these go begging for tenant, and, if rented, fail to bring proper return on the investment to the owner, who raises the biggest cry, "Taxes!"

Regarding an apartment building, new and properly constructed, the demand is acute and the only wonder is so much of our local capital is allowed to remain uninvested.

Present demand in "More and Better Houses"

**VICTIMS OF THE MISSISSIPPI.**

Thousands of helpless farmers, with their stock drowned, their families without food or shelter, are today living in tents along the Mississippi river. Many of them realize that 1927 will be a no-crop year, because by the time the flooded river goes down the time for planting will be over. They face the immediate present, that is black with ruin, with the knowledge that all over the United States other Americans are raising money to feed them, to give them temporary relief. The future, their future, is in the hand of God, who alone can tell how they may work out their fortunes, now engulfed in the whirling rush of waters.

More than 6,000,000 acres of the best farming land of the entire nation is under water. The agricultural loss, it is estimated, may go as high as \$500,000,000 and the damage to the lumber industry, the mercantile establishments, the buildings and personal property may cause the loss to reach the staggering total of more than \$1,000,000,000.

The American Red Cross, at the request of President Coolidge, is raising \$5,000,000 for immediate relief. This sum may not be enough. Other sums may be required if America is to extend to stricken Americans the help that has hitherto been extended to Japan and other foreign peoples.

Henry M. Baker, director of disaster relief, says: "America has never faced a more pathetic situation than the plight of these thousands upon thousands of little farmers." He goes on to say, "our greatest menace is typhoid fever and the next more grave problem will be measles, scarlet fever and enteric disorders."

Last week it was estimated that \$150,000 destitute people, half of whom are little children, are depending for food, shelter and clothing on the efforts of the Red Cross. This means, they are dependent upon us. Our share is no large amount. It will, however, save some small group of women and children from dire suffering and perhaps brighten the faces of terrified children.

Imagine, if you can, an embankment, twenty feet wide and three miles long, with raging torrents of water on both sides and 6,000 people, huddled like sheep, waiting for the rescue boats. You have a picture of the main levee at Greenville, Miss. Every piece of high ground in the flooded area presented, at some time, a similar picture, as men, women and children, fleeing from advancing waters, rushed to the concentration camps and prayed for the rescue boats to arrive before their refuge was overwhelmed.

The stories that come from the Mississippi valley are not pleasant reading. True, as they are the average citizen would rather not know of the suffering of these thousands of good people, caught in the flood of the Father of Waters. Unpleasant as it may be to read of the victims of this disaster it is, nevertheless, much to be preferred over the dispatch that will go out if America fails to respond. What an unmitigated disgrace to a fair country and a generous people if it were heralded to the world that while thousands suffered the effort to raise a relief fund failed!

**HONOR MOTHER ON MOTHER'S DAY.**

Each nation of the globe may have its heroes and great personages in whom they delight in honoring; each nation may have its historic achievements, the anniversaries of which are celebrated by holidays and celebration but none of these are known beyond the confines of the particular nations with which they are concerned.

There is one date, however, regardless of creed or nationality, which can be universally observed, and which is gradually spreading throughout the length and breadth of the world. This day is Mother's Day.

This celebration falls on the second Sunday of each May and the date for its celebration this year is tomorrow, May 8th. The suggestion for the annual celebration of a day in honor of the mothers of the world took like wildfire from its very beginning. From city to city, from state to state, and now from nation to nation, the movement gathers converts, and this year there will be new territory included in the already large area which will observe this important anniversary.

Your mother, my mother, everybody's mother will be remembered on May 8. If she still be alive, so much the better. You will have an opportunity of outwardly expressing the high esteem in which you hold her. If she has gone to her reward in the great beyond then pay honor to her memory. Let the rest of the world know that you loved and appreciated the dear soul who, no matter where or what you might have been, loved you ever so dearly, and hoped for your success and happiness.

We here, in Bay St. Louis, will not pass up this opportunity to express our appreciation of Mother. If she is within reach, the most of us will pay her a visit on that date. We will take with us some token as an outward expression of our feeling and love. If she is in some distant city, then we will send her a message or a present of some kind, which will serve to make the day one of happiness in knowing that she has not been forgotten and that in a feeble way we are attempting to pay a debt of gratitude which can never be fully paid.

In the churches the pastors will speak to their congregations about the mothers of this city, of this state and of this nation.

Do not let the day go by without wearing your flower.

We owe everything to Mother. What a wonderful idea, this Mother's Day!

**CONSIDER BAY ST. LOUIS CHILDREN**

Children were not made to go to school alone. No community is treating its children right if it does nothing more than to afford them improved school facilities. The hours that are spent outside the schoolroom are very important; there should be something to keep young minds engaged in healthful and profitable activity.

We hope that all who read this article will think of the situation in Bay St. Louis today, and suggest whatever steps that will assist in making our fair city a wonderful place in the eyes of every child.

Incidentally, we must not forget the children were promised a skating rink in the city hall park. The matter was seriously discussed, engineer directed to draw plans, and every manifestation from official sources was to the effect such consideration for the children was forthcoming. Financially unable at present, we hope the promise will be fulfilled in time.

Citizens of Bay St. Louis, in their natural eagerness to make material progress, must not overlook the cultural side of a community's growth.

Primarily, a city is, or should be, a good place for family life. That entails not only consideration for the commercial life of the men and activity for the social life of women, but also the growth of children into well-rounded adults.

Child life includes play. Bay St. Louis is not so small that it can overlook the requirements of this youthful urge. It is not so large that the cost of doing so will be prohibitive. The future growth of Bay St. Louis will make it harder to secure adequate parks and playgrounds and the time to acquire the land necessary for future development is at hand.

Those who have the best qualifications for position and place are often the last to seek it.

**This Week.**

Don't Forget Intelligence.  
He had Ambition.  
Too Much Muscle.  
Choose His Wars.  
BY ARTHUR BRISBANE.  
(Copyright, 1927)

"There is no life save in proteins," wise chemists, gathered at Richmond, Va., say it and add, "environmental and chemical agents are the dominant factors of life."

That may be true, and still you need not accept the chemical concept of the origin and development of life."

If inhabitants of another world, where machinery is unknown, should study an automobile supplied with gas and electricity and running, they would say, "No life in this machine without gas. Iron, gas and electricity are all of that automobile."

They would overlook just one little thing, namely, the INTELLIGENCE that put the gas, electricity and steel together, mounted them on pneumatic tires and set them going.

So it is with life. Explain it as you please, but don't forget the INTELLIGENCE back of it.

We are proud of our national prosperity and high wages. Bootleggers are even prouder of their prosperity and high wages. This is shown by Norman Klein, an investigator. One rumrunning syndicate could afford to invest \$10,000,000 and to pay men on their rumrunning crews \$50 a night for a good deal less than eight hours' work. One man tells how he used to get only \$30 to \$37 a week, "but I was ambitious," says he, "so they put me on a runner, and I got \$50 a night."

He worked on the "converted sub chaser SC-217," Uncle Sam thus supplying the rumrunning boat at bargain prices. There is nothing like ambition.

Hay will be cheap this year on the farms, for crops will be heavy. After the farmer sells and jobber gets the hay, prices will change. Late plowing will be delayed and wheat growers worry about a too heavy "top growth."

Wheat grown suddenly too tall falls before high winds or heavy rains, and athletic young gentlemen, please notice: When the wheat stalk is over-developed, the head of the wheat containing the grain is feeble. Too much straw means too little wheat.

And too much muscle means too little brain.

Unless inhabitants are misinformed, the Western mind runs to peaceful philosophy. The Joplin News-Herald says: "As to street signs, read 'em and leap." And the Richmond Missourian quotes a philosophical lady as follows: "Kissing is about to be carried so far that every lady is likely to get so tired of it that it may go utterly out of fashion."

The St. Joseph (Mo.) News-Press says: "The girls have responded nobly to the appeal for the observance of paint-up week."

A negro applying for admission to a Government training camp is told by the War Department that rules make it impossible to admit him. Regulations say colored men must enlist in colored regiments. Camps for colored young men will be established, which may solve the problem.

Jacob Wassermann, able German novelist, author of "The World's Illusion," can find no happiness in this country." He calls Chicago's industrial life "intensely depressing."

Chicago industrial workers might call Mr. Wassermann's wife "intensely depressing." It is hard to judge. The prairie dog in his little village may be as happy as Napoleon looking up at the pyramids. The prairie dog doesn't have to go to St. Helena.

Napoleon crossed the Alps in winter and told those that complimented him on the "great achievement," "Winter is the best time to cross; the snow does not slip, I deserve credit only for not believing fools who said it could not be done."

Experiments to ascertain the practicability of feeding soils electricity in order to produce crops out of season were successfully carried on in Sweden last year, according to reports from the Stockholm experiment station.

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adjustment on the price of this material, provided the boats and motors were not returned.

The appeal to the people who owned this property to be sent to the Delta could not be refused. The only thing they asked was an adjustment on the wear and tear and replacement of the articles not returned. At the present time the Chamber of Commerce is getting back some of the boats and outboard motors. As soon as adjustment can be made on the property requisitioned, all funds left on hand will be turned over to the proper authority for the relief of suffering in the flooded area of the Mississippi Delta.

A full list of donations, accompanied by names, will appear in The Echo next week, according to a statement made by the Chamber of Commerce.

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**LOVEJOY & HAWKINS****TINNERS AND SANITARY PLUMBERS**

# STANISLAUS LOSE GAME SUNDAY; 12-8

Eberhardt Team of New Orleans Take Victory Before Large Crowd.

Stretchers and trained nurses, please.

The fast semi-pro (more "pro" than semi) Eberhardt team from the big city by the Father of Waters took the measure of the Rockachaws last Sunday by a score of 12 to 8 in a tenning game of the great American sport, before a fair sized crowd with a thirty-piece band playing.

The affair started off like it was going to be labeled "Stanislaus," for the local tribe scored a brace of runs in the first spasm and again in the third. Many in the stands figured that as it would take five runs to offset the four, the Rocks were on velvet. But the adventures of Little Stanley, the explorer, had not yet been written, the murderous savages had not as yet donned their war paint or sharpened their tomahawks.

The game began to pick up in the first half of the fifth when the visiting warriors hung up two scalps on their wigwam for a starter, with three singles and a double.

Miller had tightened up a couple of notches and the boys couldn't find him any more.

The fatal sixth came along in the cosmic order of things and there's where the cotton warehouse took afire. A gas pocket in the Collyery exploded with a terrific rumble and the ghost dance started.

Collier had been twirling peaches across the rubber, his bareless curve was breaking as pretty as a black bass, when all of a sudden he lost control absolutely. Eberhardt, the clean-up man on Fred's team, was given free transportation to first. "Chesty" Johnson went out easily, Zeke to Matt, Eberhardt pilfered the keystone bag and Butzman scored him with a single to right. Catalano was given a ticket to first on four wide ones and Bauer nailed the pill into the tropics, too far off for Fernandez to reach it for a stop, Butzman and Catalano romped home with Bauer planted on the third sack. Skes up, hit an easy one to pitcher, Cotton tried to stop the homing Bauer and threw the sphere towards Bayou Gallere. Skes perched on second and scored when Meyer sent a triple to the sun parlor.

Only one down, Patricia. Commande halted the proceedings and began to reconstruct his defense. Cotton was called off the mound and Pots Perre sent on the firing line with orders to smoke 'em up. Glover was taken to the bench on account of a bum finger in his throwing hand that was injured earlier in the fracas. Mat Montz taking the backstop berth; Collier went to the right zone, Fabacher going to second and Schwartz taking charge of the initial sack.

The Big Chief's change brought home the bacon. Miller popped to pitcher and Corra was an easy out, Perre to Schwartz. That ended the fearful agony, and the stands took a long breath. But the score board read that the visitors had netted five tallies putting the score 7 to 4.

The Rockachaws showed that they were undaunted. Going into the ninth, Collier singled through center and took third on a bad throw to catch him on the bag. Rinaudo stole second, took third when Cotton scored on Fernandez, out short to first, and scored with a beautiful dive as Zeke hit to Miller.

The Eberharts made another tally in the eighth. The Rocks got one in their turn when Bloody Fabacher singled and scored on Lager's triple to deep center. Leger would have scored when Perre hit to short, but he hesitated a second too long.

The score was tied eight all in the ninth by Rinaudo after a couple of miscues. Rinaudo having reached first safely when his hit went through Miller's legs. The fans took a new lease on life and it looked like flowers—but not.

The party was brought to a close in the tenth. Messrs. Eberhardt & Co. got onto Perre's slants, and the pyrotechnics were in full display for a brief spell. After all, the rocket sticks had hit terra firma the count was four runs more to overcome in one inning, and it couldn't be done!

It was four more bright and there's no use counting 'em one by one. We'll just hang a bunch of roses on the door and call it a day.

Here's the fixings:

	AB	H	PO	A
Birm.-Sou.	AB	H	PO	A
Beagle, 2b	.5	0	3	2
Lott, cf	.4	0	2	0
McTrt, lf	.5	3	3	0
Manor, rf	.5	2	4	0
Hill, 1b	.5	0	10	0
Jenkin, 3b	.4	1	1	0
Giddins, ss	.3	1	1	4
Walter, c	.3	1	3	2
Allen, c	.1	0	0	0
King, p	.4	1	0	3
Totals...	39	10	27	12
Stanislaus—	AB	H	PO	A
Rinaudo, 3b	.3	0	1	6
Fernandez, lf	.3	1	1	0
Bonura, ss	.4	1	4	4
Fabacher, 2b	.3	1	6	0
Montz, 1b-c	.4	2	9	1
Schwartz, 2b-1b	.5	2	4	2
Fabacher, rf-2b	.4	2	2	0
Kenner, cf	.2	0	0	0
Leger, c	.3	1	0	0
Glover, c	.2	0	1	2
Perre, p	.3	0	1	4
Coll., prf	.4	2	1	4
Totals...	40	11	30	14
Eberharts—	AB	H	PO	A
Rinaudo, 3rd	.4	1	3	2
Fernandez, lf	.4	0	4	0
Bonura, ss	.6	0	2	0
Montz, 1b-c	.4	2	9	1
Schwartz, 2b-1b	.5	2	4	2
Fabacher, rf-2b	.4	2	2	0
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Coll., prf	.4	2	1	4
Totals...	47	14	30	18
Score by innings:				
Stanislaus—	202	000	211	0
Eberharts 000	026	010	4	12
	19			152

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### LOCALS RECEIVE SETBACK BY LOSING GAMES TO B'HAM

Birmingham Southern College Team Take Two Games From Rockachaws of St. Stanislaus—Egloff and Collier Pitch Good Games.

The Rockachaws of Stanislaus received quite a setback in their games with the Birmingham Southern college team on Wednesday and Thursday, dropping the first by a score of eight to six and the last by six to five.

The first contest was what the lawyers call a donation interview, which conveyed on a plain every day U. S. platter means something which is given freely while one is still living and in his right senses. The particular play in the game of baseball is like the Englishman wrote it to his home paper, explaining thusly: "I see it was like this, one of the players selected a huge oakum club from a number that were parked over near where he'd been sitting, he strolled over to position in front of a gentleman who wore a horrible mask of wire about his face. The thrower, after going through several funny antics, let fly the ball; as the sphere came near, the one with the club struck the bally thing an awful rap, sending the ball out to where his opponents awaited, just as the ball approached, the waiting one opened wide his legs and permitted the sphere to pass on its journey, while the hitter ran to the several stations.

"Another followed in much the same fashion, and the running gent made the circle while his followers shouted like maniacs. They call the play an error, but really, old thing, I can't see the error, for who wants his bloody shins struck with a ball when he can dodge it, what?"

Accordingly "self preservation" is the first law of nature, and they do tell that this was the way that the Panthers or B'hams garnered the initial game.

The Rockachaws had the game well in hand for eight innings, they were leading by six to four when the fatal ninth was ushered in, then the glooms took a fall out of the joys and things went to hell, they went bad. Three bingers and a covey of bungles produced four runs and the game.

Egloff pitched a nice game till the last period, but the misuses got his name. Schwartz had a banner day. Commagore put the Shell on first and he handled the station like a veteran, getting sixteen chances without a bubble, and also pulling out his second Homer of the season.

Box score:

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Kenner, rf	.3	1	1	0
Totals...	27	5	27	10
Score by innings:				
Bir.-Sou.	100	100	204	8
Stanislaus	100	203	000	6
Summary—Home run, Schwartz; two-base hit, Bonura; two-base hit, McTrotts; runs, Beagle, Litt, Jenkins, Allen, King, 2, Rinaudo, Fernandez, Montz, 2, Schwartz; walked by King, 3; by Egloff, 2; struck out by King, 2; errors, Rinaudo, Bonura, 2, Fabacher, 2, Leger, Egloff; time of game, 2:10; umpire, Hightower.				

The Rockachaws tightened up on Thursday's game and played bangup ball, but the breaks were against them and they lost by a score of six to five.

The worst break was when McTrotts hit a long fly out into the left garden where "Basket" Fernandez came with a runner on the paths ahead. Fernandez went after the ball and just as he was in the act of catching for the square he slipped and fell flat on his back, the ball rolling on for that heave which could be fielded home two runs had been scored over the Robinson. The result was the unfortunate occurrence. Everybody knows what most balls come out of the Central Am. Country are labeled "Dead" before they ever reach the "Basket" for Fernandez plays the garden like a Cobb.

The few wobbles of Thursday's game were not of the costly variety.

Collier twirled a better game than did Jenkins, even though the latter allowed two hits less than Cotton but none in the bottom.

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In the American League, where five new managers dream hopes of world series' pie, McCallister, at Cleveland, and Moriarty, at Detroit, have reasonable grounds for some hope. Carrigan, at Boston, Howley, at St. Louis, and Schalk, at Chicago, are not figured to produce much of a splash. The early showing of the Browns is discounted because the strength of the American League is in the East, where New York, Philadelphia and Washington plan to make life miserable for Western clubs.

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## REGULAR MONTHLY MEET CO. BOARD SUPERVISORS

State of Mississippi,  
County of Hancock.

Be it remembered that a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors in for the County and State aforesaid was held at the courthouse of the County and State at the courthouse thereof, in the City of Bay St. Louis, on Monday, May 2nd, 1927, at 9 o'clock A. M., for the holding of said meeting, there were present, to wit:

H. S. Weston, president of said Board;

Jos. L. Frierson, member; Jos. V. Frank, member; John B. Wheat, members; Jos. V. Bontemps, sheriff of said county, and A. Kergosien, clerk of said Board.

The following amounts were allowed and paid out of the Road and Bridge Fund as per bills on file, examined and approved, to wit:

G. C. Thigpen, labor, etc. \$165.00

J. V. Moran, labor, etc. 5.00

Wm. J. Mitchell, labor, etc. 5.00

W. G. Thigpen, labor, etc. 12.00

Jim Burroughs, labor, etc. 2.50

Jake Frierson, labor, etc. 17.50

Ralph H. Hall, labor, etc. 40.00

Billie Absirooks, labor, etc. 32.50

Albert Absirooks, labor, etc. 11.25

Levi T. Lee, labor, etc. 2.50

Tony Thigpen, labor, etc. 11.25

Ira Lee, labor, etc. 3.75

Grace Nicase, labor, etc. 25.00

Judie Woods, labor, etc. 17.50

Montee Frierson, labor, etc. 20.00

Malvin Newsey, labor, etc. 2.50

Orville Lee, labor, etc. 2.50

Bill Dawgs, labor, etc. 2.50

Whit Craft, labor, etc. 10.00

W. G. Thigpen, labor, etc. 17.50

John L. Rutherford, labor, etc. 8.75

Ralph Craft, labor, etc. 6.25

Jake Frierson, labor, etc. 12.25

Elmer Absirooks, labor, etc. 5.00

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Jim Lee, labor, etc. 5.00

D. F. Lee, labor, etc. 5.00

John L. Lee, labor, etc. 5.00

Or Lee, labor, etc. 5.00

Beth Lee, labor, etc. 5.00

Herbert Mitchell, labor, etc. 30.75

Julius Whithfield, labor, etc. 31.25

James Lott, labor, etc. 32.50

John Lott, labor, etc. 32.50

Oscar Bounds, labor, etc. 47.00

Osceola DeGaudia, labor, etc. 59.50

J. J. Dugan, labor, etc. 59.50

Sylvan Ladner, labor, etc. 63.00

Eugene Nicase, labor, etc. 63.75

John C. Aramas, labor, etc. 64.00

Randolph Cameron, labor, etc. 64.00

Orl Mitchell, labor, etc. 5.00

Sammy Smith, labor, etc. 25.00

Henry Bourgeois, labor, etc. 78.00

Philip Adam, labor, etc. 84.50

Leonard Frederick, labor, etc. 30.24

John G. Johnson, labor, etc. 30.24

Ed. Kimball, labor, etc. 12.50

A. Lafontaine, labor, etc. 91.00

Oscar Shaw, labor, etc. 5.00

Dunkin McCrimmon, labor, etc. 35.00

John Harrel, labor, etc. 39.00

W. J. Fleming, labor, etc. 204.13

George Curet, Jr., supplies, etc. 22.00

Jos. O. Mauffray, supplies, etc. 11.15

Thigpen-Whitfield Hardware Co., supplies, etc. 11.15

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Be it ordered by the Board that the following amounts be allowed out of the General County Fund, as per bills on file, examined and approved, to wit:

C. W. McDonald, salary, etc. 150.00

E. J. Geer, salary, etc. 220.00

Mrs. John Rutherford, keeper of Porchouse, etc. 125.00

J. L. Fuente, 1-3 fine Thos. La Fontaine, etc. 4.75

Miss. Stationer, carbon paper, etc. 7.00

W. A. McDonald, stamp, etc. 12.00

**BAY CITY GETS  
MUSICAL TREAT  
MOBILE ORPHANS**

**Boy Band Astonishes Hearers in Concert Sunday Afternoon at Local College—Bro. Florian's Remarkable Success Noted With Interest**

Lovers of music, of soul-stirring harmony, were treated to something rare in the city on last Sunday evening, when the thirty-two piece brass band from the Boys Industrial School of Mobile entertained the populace in a free, open air concert on the beautiful lawn of St. Stanislaus college.

Brother Florian, at one time located at St. Stanislaus, is the conductor of this wonderful aggregation of musicians who are remarkable in several ways. The band is composed of boys who range in age from 8 to 15 years.

The band has been under the tutelage of Bro. Florian for the last fifteen months and only organized as a unit for the past year. This, besides the fact of their tender years, is most remarkable when one hears the delightful music they dispense.

On the college lawn, before a vast audience, the boys rendered some of the most difficult selections of grand opera, particularly the opera of Faust, which was carried through its entirety with harmony that would have elated the most fastidious. Grand military marches, beautiful and soul-stirring wonders of religious music, selections of popular airs and even the latest jazz was in the repertoire of this wonder-boy band.

Every member of the band is an orphan and a pupil of the Industrial School of Mobile, conducted by the Brothers of the Sacred Heart.

Brother Florian is justly proud of "his boys" and states that of the one hundred and fourteen inmates of the school, seventy-two are learning music, composing two separate bands.

Don Philippini, the great conductor of musicians, has ably assisted in

**WAVELAND'S MOST CHERISHED DREAM FOR IMMEDIATE FUTURE.**



Local attorneys representing Hancock County Road Protection Commissioners, and members of that body as well, are expecting a decision from the Supreme Court to be handed down next Monday, May 9th, in the test suit, William Cooper vs. Hancock County Road Protection Commissioners, testing the validity of the re-

cent bid for building Waveland sea-wall.

It will be remembered the lowest bid accepted was later attacked on the assumption it would not hold. The bonding company objected to a change in specifications (waiving storm clause) after first insertion, inviting bids, had been published. It

was a mere technicality, but has held up the project for several months. The decision is anxiously looked for Monday.

Elsewhere in this issue of The Echo appears the official advertisement, announcing sale of an additional bond issue for \$300,000.00, to be known as Hancock County Road Protection

bonds, to be offered at public sale

during the early part of June at rates

of interest 5 1/2, 5 1/4 and 6 per cent,

respectively.

This advertisement for bids is pre-

dicted on the fact to do so later

would be void, in accordance with the

original order carrying the full

amount for the entire work.

**GENERAL ECHOES.**

Mrs. Mabel Hansen, of Evanston, Ill., runs two garages, one of 150 cars and the other of 115 cars capacity.

Mrs. Nina Duryea, of Stockbridge, Mass., has invented a new fabric of paper composition, said to be suitable for many garments.

Miss Irene Coe, of Omaha, Neb., will quit society to manage the million-dollar oyster business left by her father.

When a judge asked G. M. Perry, of Philadelphia, why he did not pay a debt, he said he had 10 reasons; in other words, 10 children.

William Davitt, of Glasgow, was sentenced to a year in prison for having committed bigamy 22 years ago.

Unlikely to resist the opposition of women of his church, Rev. R. L. Torney, of Belfast, withdrew his edict against bobbed hair.

John Grady, of Denver, amputated a mashed finger with an axe when he feared that blood poisoning was setting in.

After seeing her first movie, Mrs. Mary Lloyd, aged 80, of Anniston, Ala., said: "If I had a girl who went to picture shows I would turn her up and spank her."

Princess Wontonekemuske, otherwise known as Charlotte Mitchell, a direct descendant of the famed Chief Massasoit, is pensioned by the state of Massachusetts and is the only living Indian princess in New England.

Elmer Verner, of Minneapolis, with 74 merit badges, is believed to be the world's champion Boy Scout with only two more badges to be won.

An amphibious airplane, whose wheels may be dropped when a forced landing on water is necessary, is the invention of a French engineer.

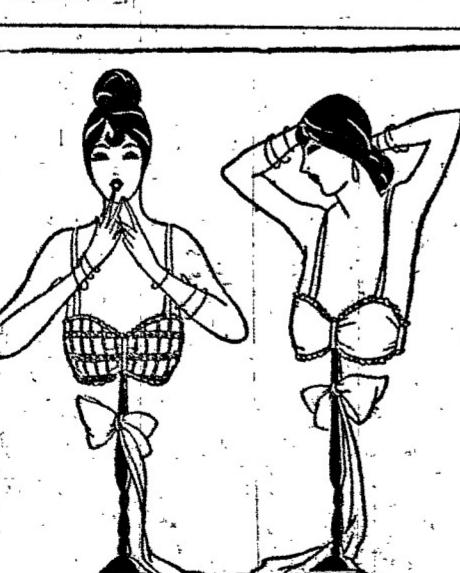
The 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Russell Price dashed through flames and saved two younger children from an upper bedroom when her home burned at Belleville, Ont.

Mrs. E. M. H. McCauley, state director of public welfare in Pennsylvania, has a daughter, Ruth, who has been chosen queen of the Swarthmore college carnival.

Franz Anne Gorken, wife of a clerk in Bremen, Germany, presented her

the musical education of these lads and has had them in concert on the Saenger theater stage several times in Mobile, where they were received with the happy plaudits of the Gulf City's music lovers.

The wonderful band travels in its own motor car, once the property of Florida real estate magnates, and are in constant demand throughout the South.



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**The Sea Coast Echo****CITY ECHOES.**

— Senator Carl Marshall spent the greater portion of the week at Jackson on professional business.

— Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Carty and daughters will leave this evening by auto for Pascagoula, to visit relatives and friends of their former home city.

— Mrs. H. F. Mattox entertained for the week-end Mrs. Lorena Beach, from New Orleans, and children, the latter remaining for an indefinite period.

— The Beach Drug Store, head of Main street, announces it is now serving Pineapple Sherbet in answer to many calls.

— Information comes to The Echo that the bridge at DeLisle, recently crushed by a heavy truck passing that way, has been restored and the road from Pine Hills to Pass Christian is now open as usual.

— Mrs. George Muller, of New Orleans, is spending a while in Bay St. Louis, visiting at the home of her brother in Carroll avenue, and spent part of the week visiting at Clermont Harbor.

— Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Carrere and children are registered at the Hotel Weston and later will take possession of the Carrere summer villa on the Waveland beach, accompanied by Mr. Carrere's mother, who spent last summer traveling Europe.

— Mr. and Mrs. Jos. O. Mauffray motored over to Pass Christian Wednesday, where they visited the former's aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mauffray, and visited their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Funston Mauffray.

— Prof. S. P. Powell, head of Kiln Consolidated school, was taken to the King's Daughters hospital during the week and underwent an operation for an acute attack of appendicitis. His condition was serious, but we are glad to learn our good friend is recovering nicely.

— Mr. D. J. Everett, candidate for county superintendent of education, is spending today in Bay St. Louis, shaking hands with voters. He has just completed a most successful term as one of the teachers at Kiln Consolidated school, and he and Mrs. Everett have moved to Waveland.

— Initations have been issued by the Senior class of Jefferson Military college, of Mississippi, to commencement exercises, Thursday, May 19th. Our esteemed young citizen, Charles Ellsworth Leydecker, is a member and also vice-president of the class, with the title of Cadet Lieutenant.

— Tomorrow, Mother's Day, is not to be forgotten. The various stores in Bay St. Louis offer an unusual assortment of candy, appropriately boxed, and a selection of cards for the occasion at Miss Welch's newsstand. The idea is, don't forget Mother.

— Mrs. L. N. Word, who has been visiting her daughters, Mrs. de Montuzin and Mrs. Dubuc, left during the week for Mobile, where she will spend a while visiting at the home of her daughter there, Mrs. Theophile Combel, and family. Later Mrs. Word plans to visit a sister at Wiggins.

— Capt. and Mrs. C. B. Fisher have as their house guests Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Fisher, who are back from an extensive honeymoon trip to the East, and will spend a while in their home in Bluefields, Nicaragua. The groom is the only son of the genial Captain and his estimable wife.

— Mr. A. J. Osoinach, prominent attorney of Memphis, Tenn., was a visitor to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Osoinach, during the early part of the week, spending a day and night only. He returned to Memphis by way of Gulfport, accompanied to that point by his father. He was here on a business mission.

— A force of workmen have completed the heavy concrete foundations of the 30-room addition at Henderson Point for Inn-By-the-Sea and possibly next week the upper structure will begin assuming shape. It is understood \$150,000 improvements will be in process at the inn across the bay and ready for the expected heavy winter season, 1927-28.

— It is no secret the Ritz-Carlton corporation, owning a chain of high-class hotels, contemplate building one of the larger hotels for which they are noted on a prominent point at Pass Christian Isles, on Bay St. Louis. The Ritz-Carlton has its parent corporation in Europe and operates nothing but high grade hotels.

— Mr. Calvin Shaw, member Board of Supervisors, is the official representative from Hancock county to travel this summer on the "Know Mississippi Better" train, which will take in the great Southwest and over to and through California. The trip will be made during August, and Gov. Murphree will accompany the party.

— Mrs. John Bryan, who has with her family, her mother, Mrs. Fortune Jaeger, a delightfully located at the Bryan villa at Cedar Point, and will remain until the late fall season. Mrs. Bryan has a wide circle of local friends and the early advent of her family for the season is hailed with delight.

— Messrs. Dan and Hugh Bourgeois recently celebrated their first year of business at McComb, Miss., where they opened a Jitney-Jungle store, and the local newspaper issued a special edition celebrating the first anniversary of the success which these Bay St. Louis young men are making of their enterprise. They are sons of our esteemed townspeople, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bourgeois.

— Mr. and Mrs. Richard Boudreault have the sympathy of the community in the death of their infant child, which occurred at New Orleans this week, to which place the patient had been carried. The deceased, about one year old, was the only child, and had been ill for a while. The remains were conveyed to this city Thursday for interment. Mr. Boudreault is the well-known electrician and operator at the A. & G. theater, which position he will resume Monday.

— An additional list of contributions to the local Red Cross fund will be published in next Saturday's edition of The Echo. Bay St. Louis and Hancock county have responded well and readily to the flood cause, as usual in every instance for the disasters.

— The Women's club, of Flat Top, will present a play Saturday at Central school this Saturday evening, to which the public is invited. The club is under the auspices of the county demonstration organization and is one of the more successful of the different units over the county.

— Since the first of the month both local banks open for the day's work at 9 P. M. instead of 8:30 o'clock as formerly, and the change will give better hours for the forces that works before opening and long after the bank doors are closed, working no hardship on the public and meaning so much to those within.

— Noella Beeson, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Beeson was the victim of an unusual accident this Saturday morning before rising. Plaster from the ceiling of the room in which she had been sleeping fell and cut her in several places about the face. Dr. H. S. Lewis was summoned and it was found necessary to take a few stitches in order to draw the lacerated and broken places together.

— Mr. and Mrs. Leo L. Kenney have leased the attractive Beatrous villa, formerly home of Prof. and Mrs. Kock, of Tulane university, on the North Beach Drive, and will remain for the summer season, entertaining friends from time to time. Before her recent marriage Mrs. Kenney was Miss Irma Jaubert, whose talent and incomparable voice and charming personality have won for her many friends.

— The War Department has granted the Board of Supervisors of Hancock county permission to build a bridge over Jordan river, at McLeod, at a point north of the present county bridge and to take its place. Plans and specifications for the new bridge by the State Highway Department were received this week and adopted by the Board of Supervisors. The bridge will be built as early as practicable.

— Mrs. Joseph Curry, before her marriage a popular society belle of New Orleans, accompanied by her interesting little daughter, is visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. Victor Camors, at Cedar Point, and will spend part of the early summer before returning to her home at Vidalia, La.

— Laurent L. Kergosien announces the opening this afternoon of his new enterprise in Washington, between Third street and Railroad avenue, where fancy and barbecued sandwiches will be featured. All buyers of food this evening will be given either a free soft drink or coffee. To all purchasers of five gallons of gasoline a quart of lubricating oil will be donated. A prize will be awarded tonight to the party offering the best name and slogan for the Kergosien enterprise.

— Mr. Evan McCall, representing Tudor B. Carré & Co., developers of Bay St. Louis subdivision, formerly "St. Charles," is spending today in Bay St. Louis and studies work has begun on the second dwelling to be built in the new section of our beautiful city and that a number more will follow. He states that section of the place, formerly the Wisner orchard, will shortly be opened and developed, and, in general, the outlook is satisfactory. It is planned to build a series of attractive dwellings, and sell the lots to their wives. He states this will be quicker of results and since the company is building nothing but better homes, at reasonable prices, in that way the restrictions will be better observed.

— Bay St. Louis Demonstration clubs, under the direction of Miss O'Donnell, community demonstration agent, to be complimented on the splendid showing and program during "Better Homes Week," which came to a close Saturday night. The club members were assisted by a number of ladies who acted as hostesses for each day. The program was varied and included addresses from well-known authorities, and the visitors' registered shows several hundred of people visited during the six days.

— The new Ford residence in Ulman avenue, for which Mr. Roger M. Boh is the selling agent, was used to demonstrate the better home, and the use of which had been so generously given. "More and Better Homes" is a good slogan for Bay St. Louis.

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